

Wisconsin Farm Bureau Federation

Legislative Bills/Resolutions

Assembly Bill 4

relating to: creating a nonrefundable individual income tax credit for certain amounts relating to health savings accounts that may be deducted from, or are exempt from, federal income taxes.



For

Original Reporting Date: 1/21/2005



Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 5

relating to: health benefit purchasing cooperatives.



For

Original Reporting Date: 1/21/2005



Bill Text and History



2005 Wisconsin Act 30

Assembly Bill 6

relating to: creating an individual income tax subtract modification for amounts spent on medical insurance premiums by certain individuals.



For

Original Reporting Date: 2/21/2005



Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 15

relating to: ethanol requirements in automotive gasoline, providing an exemption from emergency rule procedures, granting rule-making authority, and providing a penalty.



For

Original Reporting Date: 1/21/2005



Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 16

relating to: exempting amounts claimed for depreciation of farm equipment for purposes of calculating farm income under the Badger Care health care program.



For

Original Reporting Date: 1/21/2005



Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 21

relating to: computing expense deductions and amortization and depreciation on property used in farming for income and franchise tax purposes.



Undisclosed

Original Reporting Date: 8/11/2005



Bill Text and History



2005 Wisconsin Act 362

Assembly Bill 52

relating to: the payment of personal property taxes.



Undisclosed

Original Reporting Date: 4/20/2005



Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 58

relating to: school district revenue limits and levy limits for cities, villages, towns, counties, and technical college districts.



For

Original Reporting Date: 2/7/2005



Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 64

relating to: polling hours.



For

Original Reporting Date: 2/7/2005



Bill Text and History



2005 Wisconsin Act 333

Assembly Bill 67

relating to: school transportation bio-diesel fuel cost assistance and making appropriations.



For

Original Reporting Date: 3/8/2005



Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 71

relating to: determinations of ordinary high-water marks by counties and by the Department of Natural Resources.



Undisclosed

Original Reporting Date: 10/26/2005



Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 72

relating to: the definition of biodiesel fuel and the labeling, advertising, and promoting of biodiesel fuel and biodiesel fuel blends for sale.

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 2/7/2005

Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 73

relating to: the amount of the exemption from income tax withholding requirements for employees of a county fair association.

**Undisclosed****Original Reporting Date:** 2/7/2005

Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 108

relating to: covering certain private sector employers and their employees under the health care coverage plan for the state and its employees and making an appropriation.

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 2/21/2005

Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 115

relating to: operating certain 3-vehicle combinations on the highways.

**Undisclosed****Original Reporting Date:** 4/20/2005

Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 119

relating to: exempting amounts claimed for depreciation for purposes of calculating farm and self-employment income under the Medical Assistance and Badger Care health care programs.

**Undisclosed****Original Reporting Date:** 3/2/2005

Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 125

relating to: the dairy investment tax credit.

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 3/2/2005

Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 145

relating to: creating an income and franchise tax credit for livestock farm modernization or expansion.

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 3/2/2005

Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 166

relating to: wildlife damage abatement assistance.

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 3/9/2005

Bill Text and History

2005 Wisconsin Act 82

Assembly Bill 199

relating to: the purchase of health care coverage through the Group Insurance Board by individuals who are engaged in the business of farming, granting rule-making authority, and making an appropriation.

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 3/14/2005

Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 222

relating to: environmental claims under general liability insurance policies, fees related to removal of contaminated material from a navigable water, and making an appropriation.

**Other****Original Reporting Date:** 3/24/2005

Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 266

relating to: the powers of certain towns, authorizing the creation of charter towns by certain town boards, and expanding the authority of charter towns to create tax incremental financing districts.

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 8/10/2005

Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 278

relating to: liens, public nuisances, witnesses, and liability of shareholders.

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 4/5/2005

Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 279

relating to: the authority of the Department of Natural Resources to enforce violations of the trespass law, imposing a hunting and fishing trespass

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 4/29/2005

surcharge, and providing a penalty.

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Assembly Bill 300

relating to: trailers or semitrailers used to transport livestock.

 **Undisclosed**

Original Reporting Date: 4/20/2005

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Assembly Bill 312

relating to: the distribution of the penalty for converting agricultural land.

 **Undisclosed**

Original Reporting Date: 4/29/2005

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Assembly Bill 327

relating to: unincorporated cooperative associations, granting rule-making authority, and providing a penalty.

 **Undisclosed**

Original Reporting Date: 4/20/2005

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Assembly Bill 340

relating to: lighting and visibility marking requirements for certain agricultural vehicles and agricultural implements operated or towed upon a highway, extending the time limit for emergency rule procedures, providing an exemption from emergency rule pro...

 **Undisclosed**

Original Reporting Date: 4/20/2005

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Assembly Bill 342

relating to: private motor carriers transporting livestock.

 **Undisclosed**

Original Reporting Date: 4/20/2005

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Assembly Bill 346

relating to: a sales tax and use tax exemption on tangible personal property used in the business of farming.

 **Undisclosed**

Original Reporting Date: 4/29/2005

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Assembly Bill 389

relating to: requiring the Department of Administration to study the feasibility of developing a Wisconsin brand.

 **Undisclosed**

Original Reporting Date: 4/29/2005

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Assembly Bill 409

relating to: the authority of the Department of Natural Resources to enforce certain violations of the trespass law; revocation, suspension, and denial of certain approvals and privileges relating to wild animals and plants for certain violations of the tr...

 **For**

Original Reporting Date: 6/22/2005

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Assembly Bill 420

relating to: fencing of farm-raised deer and granting rule-making authority.

 **Undisclosed**

Original Reporting Date: 6/22/2005

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Assembly Bill 490

relating to: damage to fish farms caused by otters.

 **Undisclosed**

Original Reporting Date: 10/25/2005

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Assembly Bill 500

relating to: determinations concerning the navigability of bodies of water; determinations as to whether bodies of waters are lakes or streams; procedures, requirements, and exemptions that apply to permits and contracts for activities that affect navigabl...

 **Undisclosed**

Original Reporting Date: 6/21/2005

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Assembly Bill 510

relating to: special or seasonal weight limitations for certain vehicles transporting agricultural crops.

 **For**

Original Reporting Date: 6/28/2005

 [Bill Text and History](#)

 [2005 Wisconsin Act 364](#)

Assembly Bill 547

relating to: sales and use tax exemptions for electricity used in agricultural biotechnology and for vitamins, feed supplements, and hormones used on livestock.

 **Undisclosed**

Original Reporting Date: 8/11/2005

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Assembly Bill 602

relating to: exempting an assessor and an assessor's staff from liability for trespassing.

 **Undisclosed**

Original Reporting Date: 1/13/2006

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Assembly Bill 635

relating to: participation by certain persons who buy potatoes in the Agriculture Producer Security Program and granting rule-making authority.

 **Undisclosed**

Original Reporting Date: 10/25/2005

 [Bill Text and History](#)

 [2005 Wisconsin Act 80](#)

Assembly Bill 646

relating to: an income and franchise tax credit for the sales and use taxes paid on the purchase of tangible personal property used in farming.

 **For**

Original Reporting Date: 10/25/2005

 [Bill Text and History](#)

 [2005 Wisconsin Act 366](#)

Assembly Bill 657

relating to: prohibiting the condemnation of property under certain circumstances.

 **For**

Original Reporting Date: 9/30/2005

 [Bill Text and History](#)

 [2005 Wisconsin Act 233](#)

Assembly Bill 675

relating to: compensation for the reduction in the fair market value of private real property.

 **Undisclosed**

Original Reporting Date: 10/25/2005

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Assembly Bill 703

relating to: making companies that hire illegal aliens ineligible for certain tax exemptions, governmental contracts, grants, and loans, granting rule-making authority, and providing penalties.

 **Undisclosed**

Original Reporting Date: 10/25/2005

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Assembly Bill 762

relating to: exempting from motor carrier regulations certain vehicle combinations operated in intrastate commerce.

 **For**

Original Reporting Date: 10/25/2005

 [Bill Text and History](#)

 [2005 Wisconsin Act 65](#)

Assembly Bill 809

relating to: creating an income and franchise tax credit for motor vehicles that use gasoline and ethanol mixtures as fuel.

 **For**

Original Reporting Date: 2/10/2006

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Assembly Bill 837

relating to: the purchase of chicken, turkey, beef, and pork products by state agencies, school districts, and technical college districts.

 **Against**

Original Reporting Date: 1/13/2006

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Assembly Bill 841

relating to: administration and funding of programs for utility public benefits; renewable energy requirements for utilities and retail electric cooperatives; energy efficiency requirements for state construction; revising and reviewing the state energy co...

 **Undisclosed**

Original Reporting Date: 1/13/2006

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Assembly Bill 878

relating to: open burning of solid waste, illegal storage or disposal of waste tires, and providing a penalty.

 **Undisclosed**

Original Reporting Date: 2/15/2006

 [Bill Text and History](#)


Assembly Bill 884

relating to: the admissibility of evidence of the discovery of an endangered or threatened species during the course of certain proceedings.



For

Original Reporting Date: 1/9/2006

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Assembly Bill 926

relating to: group health care plans offered by health benefit purchasing cooperatives.



For

Original Reporting Date: 1/19/2006

 [Bill Text and History](#)

 [2005 Wisconsin Act 231](#)

Assembly Bill 1003

relating to: eligibility for the farm assets reinvestment management loan guarantee program administered by the Wisconsin Housing and Economic Development Authority.



For

Original Reporting Date: 2/10/2006

 [Bill Text and History](#)

 [2005 Wisconsin Act 480](#)


Assembly Bill 1039

relating to: persons to whom liability insurance claim settlement checks must be made payable; independent evaluations for insurance coverage of chiropractic treatment; current procedural terminology codes on health insurance claim forms; and direct payment...



Against

Original Reporting Date: 3/7/2006

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Assembly Bill 1129

relating to: creating a license that authorizes the hunting of deer by muzzle-loading firearms, deer hunting seasons during the months of October and November for hunting deer on the Apostle Islands and under certain other circumstances, an annual 9-day de...



Against

Original Reporting Date: 3/31/2006

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Assembly Bill 1186

relating to: unincorporated cooperative associations, granting rule-making authority, and providing a penalty.



For

Original Reporting Date: 4/24/2006

 [Bill Text and History](#)

 [2005 Wisconsin Act 441](#)

Assembly Joint Resolution 77

relating to: creating a revenue limit for the state and local governmental units, depositing excess revenue into an emergency reserve, returning excess revenue to taxpayers, elector approval for exceeding the revenue limit, state and local governmental app...



For

Original Reporting Date: 4/17/2006

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Senate Bill 7

relating to: creating a nonrefundable individual income tax credit for certain amounts relating to health savings accounts that may be deducted from, or are exempt from, federal income taxes.



For

Original Reporting Date: 1/21/2005

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Senate Bill 9

relating to: reducing the amount of the estate tax imposed by the state.



Undisclosed

Original Reporting Date: 4/20/2005

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Senate Bill 15

relating to: ethanol requirements in automotive gasoline, providing an exemption from emergency rule procedures, granting rule-making authority, and providing a penalty.



For

Original Reporting Date: 3/9/2005

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Senate Bill 16

relating to: reducing the amount of the estate tax imposed by the state.



Undisclosed

Original Reporting Date: 4/20/2005

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Senate Bill 28




For

relating to: school district revenue limits and levy limits for cities, villages, towns, counties, and technical college districts.

 **Original Reporting Date:** 2/7/2005
 Bill Text and History

Senate Bill 35

relating to: eliminating the estate tax.

 **For**
Original Reporting Date: 2/7/2005
 Bill Text and History




Senate Bill 37

relating to: creating an individual income tax subtract modification for amounts spent on medical insurance premiums by certain individuals.

 **Undisclosed**
Original Reporting Date: 4/20/2005
 Bill Text and History




Senate Bill 39

relating to: school transportation bio-diesel fuel cost assistance and making appropriations.

 **For**
Original Reporting Date: 2/7/2005
 Bill Text and History
 2005 Wisconsin Act 43

Senate Bill 41

relating to: the definition of biodiesel fuel and the labeling, advertising, and promoting of biodiesel fuel and biodiesel fuel blends for sale.

 **For**
Original Reporting Date: 3/8/2005
 Bill Text and History
 2005 Wisconsin Act 83

Senate Bill 45

relating to: operating certain 3-vehicle combinations on the highways.

 **Undisclosed**
Original Reporting Date: 2/7/2005
 Bill Text and History
 2005 Wisconsin Act 119

Senate Bill 46

relating to: campaign financing, designations for the Wisconsin election campaign fund by individuals filing state income tax returns, creating a nonrefundable individual income tax credit for contributions to the Public Integrity Endowment, candidate time...

 **Undisclosed**
Original Reporting Date: 3/2/2005
 Bill Text and History

Senate Bill 65

relating to: the capital gains income tax exclusion.

 **Undisclosed**
Original Reporting Date: 3/2/2005
 Bill Text and History

Senate Bill 78

relating to: pseudoephedrine hydrochloride and other materials used to produce methamphetamine, the distribution of methamphetamine to minors, and providing penalties.

 **Undisclosed**
Original Reporting Date: 3/2/2005
 Bill Text and History
 2005 Wisconsin Act 14

Senate Bill 108

relating to: the purchase of health care coverage through the Group Insurance Board by individuals who are engaged in the business of farming, granting rule-making authority, and making an appropriation.

 **For**
Original Reporting Date: 3/14/2005
 Bill Text and History

Senate Bill 111

relating to: retained earnings of telecommunications cooperatives.

 **For**
Original Reporting Date: 4/11/2006
 Bill Text and History

Senate Bill 128

relating to: increasing the limits for insurance coverage of nervous or mental health disorders or alcoholism or other drug abuse problems.

 **Against**
Original Reporting Date: 11/15/2005
 Bill Text and History

Senate Bill 137

relating to: environmental claims under general liability insurance policies, fees related to removal of contaminated material from a navigable water, and making an appropriation.

**Other****Original Reporting Date:** 3/24/2005 [Bill Text and History](#)**Senate Bill 165**

relating to: the powers of certain towns, authorizing the creation of charter towns by certain town boards, and expanding the authority of charter towns to create tax incremental financing districts.

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 8/10/2005 [Bill Text and History](#)**Senate Bill 213**

relating to: private motor carriers transporting livestock.

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 6/22/2005 [Bill Text and History](#)**Senate Bill 215**

relating to: regulating the minimum price of motor vehicle fuel.

**Against****Original Reporting Date:** 6/2/2005 [Bill Text and History](#)**Senate Bill 240**

relating to: special or seasonal weight limitations for certain vehicles transporting agricultural crops.

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 6/15/2005 [Bill Text and History](#)**Senate Bill 425**

relating to: the authority of the Department of Justice and public nuisance actions.

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 1/10/2006 [Bill Text and History](#)**Senate Bill 445**

relating to: prohibiting local governmental restrictions on certain business signs.

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 1/13/2006 [Bill Text and History](#)**Senate Bill 459**

relating to: administration and funding of programs for utility public benefits; renewable energy requirements for utilities and retail electric cooperatives; energy efficiency requirements for state construction; revising and reviewing the state energy co...

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 3/6/2006 [Bill Text and History](#) [2005 Wisconsin Act 141](#)**Senate Bill 504**

relating to: determining the size of a livestock operation for the applicability of the livestock facility siting law, water quality regulation of livestock operations, granting rule-making authority, and providing an exemption from emergency rule procedur...

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 1/19/2006 [Bill Text and History](#)**Senate Bill 614**

persons to whom liability insurance claim settlement checks must be made payable; independent evaluations for insurance coverage of chiropractic treatment; current procedural terminology codes on health insurance claim forms; and direct payment to a chiropr...

**Against****Original Reporting Date:** 3/7/2006 [Bill Text and History](#)**Senate Bill 620**

creating an income and franchise tax credit for motor vehicles that use gasoline and ethanol mixtures as fuel and for fuel efficient hybrid motor vehicles. (FE)

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 2/23/2006 [Bill Text and History](#)**Senate Bill 723**

the motor vehicle fuel tax imposed on gasoline that contains at least 85 percent ethanol, prohibiting charging an excessive price for gasoline that contains at least 85 percent ethanol, prohibiting discrimination against a retailer of gasoline that contain...

**Against****Original Reporting Date:** 5/10/2006 [Bill Text and History](#)**Senate Resolution 63****For**

creating a revenue limit for the state and local governmental units, depositing excess revenue into an emergency reserve, returning excess revenue to taxpayers, elector approval for exceeding the revenue limit, state and local governmental approval for red...

   **Original Reporting Date:** 2/15/2006
 [Bill Text and History](#)

Budget Bill Subjects

Biennial budget bill treatment of matter relating to
Administration: Division of Gaming

Original Reporting Date: 3/2/2005

Comments 

Biennial budget bill treatment of matter relating to
Administration: Land Information

Original Reporting Date: 3/2/2005

Comments 

Biennial budget bill treatment of matter relating to
Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection: Trade and Consumer Protection

Original Reporting Date: 3/2/2005

Biennial budget bill treatment of matter relating to
Bonding Authorization

Original Reporting Date: 3/2/2005

Comments 

Biennial budget bill treatment of matter relating to
Natural Resources: Departmentwide

Original Reporting Date: 3/2/2005

Biennial budget bill treatment of matter relating to
Natural Resources: Fish, Wildlife and Recreation

Original Reporting Date: 3/2/2005

Comments 

Biennial budget bill treatment of matter relating to
Natural Resources: Water Quality

Original Reporting Date: 3/2/2005

Comments 

Biennial budget bill treatment of matter relating to
Public Instruction: Categorical Aids

Original Reporting Date: 3/2/2005

Biennial budget bill treatment of matter relating to
Public Instruction: General School Aids

Original Reporting Date: 3/2/2005

Biennial budget bill treatment of matter relating to
Public Instruction: Revenue Limits

Original Reporting Date: 3/2/2005

Biennial budget bill treatment of matter relating to

Revenue: Tax Administration

Original Reporting Date: 3/2/2005

Biennial budget bill treatment of matter relating to

Shared Revenue and Property Tax Relief: Direct Aid Payments

Original Reporting Date: 3/2/2005

Biennial budget bill treatment of matter relating to

Shared Revenue and Property Tax Relief: Local Revenue Options

Original Reporting Date: 3/2/2005

Biennial budget bill treatment of matter relating to

Shared Revenue and Property Tax Relief: Property Tax Credits

Original Reporting Date: 3/2/2005

Biennial budget bill treatment of matter relating to

Shared Revenue and Property Tax Relief: Property Taxation

Original Reporting Date: 3/2/2005

Biennial budget bill treatment of matter relating to

Transportation: Local Transportation Aid

Original Reporting Date: 3/2/2005

Biennial budget bill treatment of matter relating to

Transportation: Motor Vehicles

Original Reporting Date: 3/2/2005

Biennial budget bill treatment of matter relating to

University of Wisconsin System

Original Reporting Date: 3/2/2005

Administrative Rulemaking Proceedings

Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection agricultural producer security

Register Number: 589 (2/1/2005)

Clearinghouse Rule: CR 05-068

? Undisclosed
Original Reporting Date:
1/17/2006

Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection

ATCP 10 to 12, animal health, including individual identification requirements for intrastate movement of sheep and goats and technical rule changes.

Register Number: 298 (10/15/2005)

Clearinghouse Rule: CR 06-009

? Undisclosed
Original Reporting Date:
1/17/2006

Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection

ATCP 60, 69, 70, 71, 75, 77, 80, 81, 82 and 85, relating to food and dairy license fees.

Register Number: 600 (1/1/2006)

Clearinghouse Rule: CR 07-037

? Undisclosed
Original Reporting Date:
1/17/2006

Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection

Fertilizer bulk storage.

Register Number: 564 (1/1/2003)

? Undisclosed
Original Reporting Date:
1/17/2006

Clearinghouse Rule: CR 05-108

**Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection
livestock premises registration**

Register Number: 580 (5/1/2004)

Clearinghouse Rule: CR 04-103

? Undisclosed
Original Reporting Date:
1/17/2006

**Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection
nutrient management on farms**

Register Number: 581 (5/15/2004)

Clearinghouse Rule: CR 05-013

? Undisclosed
Original Reporting Date:
1/17/2006

**Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection (ATCP)
ATCP 10 – 12, animal health, including aquaculture, the
control of Johne's disease in cattle and goats, animal
health fees and technical rule changes.**

Register Number: 587 (11/15/2004)

? Undisclosed
Original Reporting Date:
1/17/2006

**Natural Resources
NR 243, regulations for animal feeding operations.**

Register Number: 570 (7/1/2003)

Clearinghouse Rule: CR 05-075

? Undisclosed
Original Reporting Date:
1/17/2006

Topics Not Yet Assigned A Bill Or Rule Number

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to
Construction and funding for the Wisconsin Veterinary Diagnostic Lab.

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative Matter

Reporting Date: 1/21/2005

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to
Creation of a Rural Finance Authority

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative Matter

Reporting Date: 1/21/2005

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to
CWD and deer herd management issues

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative Matter

Reporting Date: 1/21/2005

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to
DOT truck weight limits and vehicle regulations

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative Matter

Reporting Date: 1/21/2005

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to
Healthcare costs and availability to Wisconsin farm families.

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative Matter

Reporting Date: 1/21/2005

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to
Investment Tax credits for agricultural modernizations

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative Matter

Reporting Date: 1/21/2005

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to
Producer security program improvements.

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative Matter

Reporting Date: 1/21/2005

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to
resolving electrical quality issues

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative Matter

Reporting Date: 1/21/2005